

## HR 5287

Medicaid Coverage for Addiction Recovery Expansion Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

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**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce. (May 19, 2016)

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### Sponsor

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		May 19, 2016
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Rep. Cummings, Elijah E. [D-MD-7]	D · MD		May 19, 2016
Rep. Duckworth, Tammy [D-IL-8]	D · IL		May 19, 2016
Rep. Kind, Ron [D-WI-3]	D · WI		May 19, 2016
Rep. Lawrence, Brenda L. [D-MI-14]	D · MI		May 19, 2016
Rep. Quigley, Mike [D-IL-5]	D · IL		May 19, 2016
Rep. Ryan, Tim [D-OH-13]	D · OH		May 19, 2016
Rep. Sewell, Terri A. [D-AL-7]	D · AL		May 19, 2016
Rep. Chu, Judy [D-CA-27]	D · CA		May 24, 2016
Rep. Peterson, Collin C. [D-MN-7]	D · MN		May 24, 2016
Rep. Pingree, Chellie [D-ME-1]	D · ME		Jun 13, 2016
Rep. Boyle, Brendan F. [D-PA-13]	D · PA		Jul 8, 2016
Rep. Johnson, Eddie Bernice [D-TX-30]	D · TX		Nov 14, 2016

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	May 19, 2016

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Health

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 S 2605	Identical bill	<b>Feb 29, 2016:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S1087)

## Summary (as of May 19, 2016)

### Medicaid Coverage for Addiction Recovery Expansion Act

This bill amends title XIX (Medicaid) of the Social Security Act to allow states to provide medical assistance to adults for residential addiction treatment facility services under the Medicaid program. "Residential addiction treatment facility services" are medically necessary inpatient services provided in an accredited, size-limited facility for the purpose of treating a substance use disorder within a specified time period.

The provision of medical assistance for such services to an individual shall not prohibit federal financial participation for medical assistance with respect to other services provided to the individual within the same time period.

Subject to specified conditions, a woman who is eligible for medical assistance on the basis of being pregnant may remain eligible for residential addiction treatment facility services for specified time periods without regard to eligibility limits that would otherwise apply as a result of her pregnancy ending.

In addition, the bill establishes a grant program for states to expand infrastructure and treatment capabilities of existing youth addiction treatment facilities that: (1) provide addiction treatment services to youths under Medicaid or the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP), and (2) are located in communities with high numbers of medically underserved populations of at-risk youths. At least 15% of grant funds awarded to a state must be used for making payments to rural facilities.

## Actions Timeline

- **May 19, 2016:** Introduced in House
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